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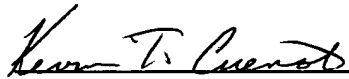
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	B2	WO 00/65814	11/02/00	WIPO	H04M	3/493	X	
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## OTHER DOCUMENTS

		C1	Research Disclosure, IBM Corporation, Art. No. 430188, pp. 399-400, (Feb. 2000).					

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